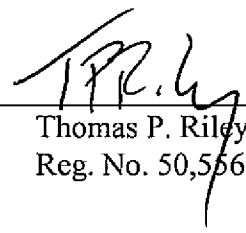


REMARKS

Claims 1-24 are currently pending and have been allowed. Claims 25-48 were previously canceled and claims 49-72 have been canceled by the present amendment. Therefore, all outstanding rejections have been addressed herein and the application is in position for immediate allowance, notice of which is requested.

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